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TOKYO FOR AMB RICHARDSON'S LOS TEAM

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SUBJ: LOS: GOI PUBLIC POSTION ON EVENSEN MEETING AND
CONSULTATIONS WITH SOVIETS

1. INDONESIAN CHIEF LOS DELEGATE MOCHTAR,RECENTLY RETURNED
FROM GENEVA EVNSEN COMMISSION MEETINGS AND BILATERAL CON-
SULTATIONS IN MOSCOW,HAS LAID OUT IN SEVERAL PRESS INTERVIEWS
GOI PUBLIC POSITION ON INDONESIAN-SOVIET LOG TALKS AND ON
SEABEDS ISSUE.

2. CHARACTERIZING HIS MOSCOW TALKS AS "FRANK AND FULL OF
MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING," MOCHTAR SAID SOVIETS HAD AGREED TO
QUOTE SOME BASIC SECTIONS OF INDONESIA'S ARCHIPELAGO CONCEPT
END QUOTE. WHILE ADMITTING SOVIETS WERE"STILL STUDYING"
SMOE ELEMENTS OF INDONESIAN POSITION, HE SAID ONLY"DIFFERENCES
ON DEATILS"REMAIN. CONSULTATIONS WITH SOVIETS ON REMAINING
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DIFFERENCES WILL RESUME AT LOS CONFERENCE, HE ADDED.

3. MOCHTAR CLAIMED SOMETHING OF A BREAKTHROUGH AT GENEVA,
PRAISING INDIAN-SPONSORED COMPROMISE SUPPORTED BY SOME OF
GROUP OF 77(INCLUDING INDONESIA) AS "WAY OUT OF THE DEAD-
LOCK" ON SEABEDS ISSUE. CONCEDING THAT INDOAN PROPOSAL
WAS STILL JUST "BROAD OUTLINE," MOCHTAR CALLED IT QUOTE

BRIDGE BETWEEN PREVAILAING POSITIONS,WHICH ARE EXTREMELY
CONTRADICTORY END QUOTE, AND SAID IT"REPRESENTS A GESTURE
ON THE PART OF THE GROUP OF 77" AIMED AT COMPROMISE SETTLE-
MENT. MOCHTAR ACKNOWLEDGED TWO PROBLEMS REMAIN: NOT ALL
GROUP OF 77 ON BOARD IN SUPPORT OF INDIAN PROPOSAL AND
POSITION OF DEVELOPED COUNTRIES, ESPECIALLY US, NOT YET
CLEAR. MOCHTAR SAID GROUP OF 77 WILL MEET TWO WEEKS IN
ADVANCE OF LOG CONFERENCE TO TRY TO PIN DOWN COMMON SEABEDS
POSITION, AND OPINED THAT IN LIGHT OF CARTER UN SPEECH
PLEDGE OF LOG COOPERATION, QUOTE THERE IS NO REASON FOR THE
US NOT TO ACCEPT THE INDIAN PROPOSAL END QUOTE IF IT IS
WILLING TO "BE CONTENT WITH A FAIR PROFIT."
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